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# SENATE BILL NO. 856

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 67, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to county contracts.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 67, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new  
2 section, to be known as section 67.2042, to read as follows:

**67.2042. 1. For the purposes of this section, the term "person"**  
2 **shall include any individual, corporation, entity, or affiliate thereof.**

3 **2. The governing body of any county shall complete a**  
4 **competitive bidding process when contracting for the services of any**  
5 **of the following:**

6 **(1) Financial advisor;**

7 **(2) Licensed issuer/seller of bonds;**

8 **(3) Legal advisor;**

9 **(4) Media relations/polling advisor; or**

10 **(5) Fund-raiser.**

11 **All presentations, quotes, minutes, and proposals involved in awarding**  
12 **such contracts shall be made available to the public upon request. No**  
13 **contract shall be issued by any county official, county executive, county**  
14 **legislature, or county commission to any person providing services**  
15 **outlined in subdivisions (1) to (5) of this subsection unless competitive**  
16 **bids have been received from more than one person providing such**  
17 **service.**

18 **3. No more than one contract shall be awarded by the county**  
19 **during any fiscal year to any person to perform any service outlined in**  
20 **subdivisions (1) to (5) of subsection 2 of this section.**

21 **4. If the governing body of any county has an existing contract**

22 or advisory service agreement, which was entered into prior to August  
23 28, 2006, with a person to provide any service outlined in subdivisions  
24 (1) to (5) of subsection 2 of this section, such contract or service  
25 agreement shall become void on August 28, 2006. All records pertaining  
26 to such contract or service agreement shall be subject to chapter 610,  
27 RSMo.

28 5. If any person has been awarded one or more contracts by the  
29 county to perform during any fiscal year more than one of the services  
30 outlined in subdivisions (1) to (5) of subsection 2 of this section, such  
31 contract or contracts shall become void on August 28, 2006. Such  
32 person shall not be eligible to bid on a county contract for such voided  
33 services for a period of two years.

34 6. The provisions of this section shall apply only to any county  
35 with a charter form of government and with more than six hundred  
36 thousand but fewer than seven hundred thousand inhabitants.

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